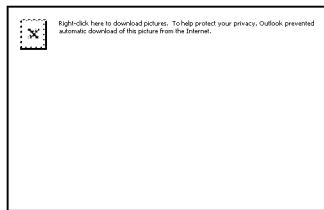


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Why volunteer? Because your community needs you!

The Massachusetts Service Alliance in partnership with the Governor's Office is proud to announce the launch of Connect and Serve, a new volunteer initiative aimed at promoting volunteering across the Commonwealth.

What is Connect and Serve?

Connect and Serve is a free volunteer web portal where non-profit organizations, schools, governmental agencies, cities, and towns post one-time and on-going volunteer opportunities when they are looking for volunteers. As a Massachusetts resident you may search Connect and Serve for volunteer opportunities that interest you, then contact the organization directly through the website.

Why use Connect and Serve?

Although Connect and Serve is a statewide project, the focus is local, so that no matter where you live you will be able to find volunteer opportunities close to your home. Whether you are looking to make a difference, gain professional experience, or just have fun, volunteering is a free way to stay connected with your community.

There are a variety of volunteer opportunities on Connect and Serve to choose from. As a volunteer you may want to use your professional skills, or try something new and different!

Join the Connect and Serve on-line community today by visiting www.mass.gov/connectandserv to look for exciting volunteer opportunities!

